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**U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM**

In re Application of: Alexander G. Parlos
Serial No.: 10/628,071
Filing Date: July 25, 2003
Group Art Unit: 2857
Examiner: Patrick J. Assouad
Title: CONDITION ASSESSMENT AND LIFE
EXPECTANCY PREDICTION FOR DEVICES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant transmits herewith an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims:	38	-	35	= 3	x \$ 25.00 =	\$75.00
Independent Claims:	5	-	5	= 0	x \$100.00 =	00.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$75.00

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A check in the amount of \$75.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for three additional claims. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or to credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the Application as follows.

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